

GRAND BAROSSA SHIRAZ 2016

Heritage

Château Tanunda, Icon of the Barossa was established in 1890 and is the site of some of Valley's earliest vines as well as its first winery. The Château is privately owned by the Geber family who continue a tradition of fine winemaking spanning three generations.

Vineyard

For our Grand Barossa Shiraz we select grapes grown throughout the Barossa and its myriad sub –regions. It is this tapestry of "terroirs" which enables us to create our classic and refined style

Winemaking

All of the grapes were fermented in small batches to retain their sub-regional characters. A cultured yeast was used to start the fermentation and the wine spent 7 days on skins at 26° C. All of this encouraged maximum extraction yet retaining the dense, spicy fruit flavours which Shiraz is renowned for. After gentle pressing the wine spent 18 months in seasoned-French & American oak hogsheads.

Tasting note

Lifted aromas of blackberry, plum and black pepper are accompanied by spicy, dark berry fruits on the palate. Although drinking well now this wine may be cellared for up to ten years from vintage

Alc. 14.5% Cellar Time

FermentationDrinks well now or cellar for up

Stainless steel, French & to 10 years

American Oak Match

Winemaker
Peppered beef tenderloin with
Portobello marsala Sauce.

Garlic Roast Pork

Bottled underScrew Cap

Region
Barossa









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GROSSES GOLD- PREMIUM GOLD Review by: Berlin Wine Trophy 2017

90 POINTS

Review by: Huon Hooke

Deep, dense purple/red colour. The bouquet is plummy and faintly smoky, the palate intense and lively with vitality and energy. Good intensity of flavour, refreshing and yet full-bodied. The tannins are mild and supple. Drink 2017 -2029

GOLD MEDAL

Review by: Korea Wine Challenge 2018

93 POINTS

Review by: Jane Faulkner, Halliday Wine Companion 2019 You'd be happy with a couple of glasses of this at a barbecue and share it around because it's keenly priced and has plenty of Barossa goodness. Leads with plums, pepper and spice plus charcuterie and the fuller bodied palate is a little unforgiving in a youthful way, super bright acidity with raspy, firm tannins and a bit of kick on the finish. Drink By 2025.

93 POINTS

Review by: Wine Showcase Magazine

GOLD DIPLOMA

Review by: Expovina 2018

94 POINTS

Review by: Sam Kim, Wine Orbit

This is splendidly ripe and inviting on the nose showing blackberry, cherry, cocoa and subtle spice notes, followed by a succulent palate that's plump and delectable. It's upfront and flavoursome with beautifully pitched chalky tannins, finishing long and pleasingly dry. At its best: now to 2032.

